

Rosa's French Transport Assessment

Learning objective: To demonstrate understanding of French transport vocabulary, travel preferences, and the ability to construct descriptive sentences about journeys.

Read each question carefully. Use the word bank to help you with your spellings. Write your answers in French where indicated, and provide explanations in English where requested.

Rosa the parrot is planning her summer travels across France. She likes to travel quickly to visit her friends, but she also enjoys looking at the scenery. She is comparing the costs: a ticket for the train costs £45, while the bus is only £12. She must decide which mode of transport is the most efficient for her journey.

Word bank: en train (by train) · en voiture (by car) · en bus (by bus) · en vélo (by bike) · à pied (on foot) · en avion (by plane) · rapide (fast) · lent (slow) · confortable (comfortable) · cher (expensive) · bon marché (cheap)

1. Translate the following modes of transport into French: 1. By train, 2. By bike, 3. By plane. (3 marks)

2. Rosa says, 'Je voyage en voiture.' What does this mean in English? (1 mark)

3. Using the word bank, write a full sentence in French explaining that travel by train is comfortable. (2 marks)

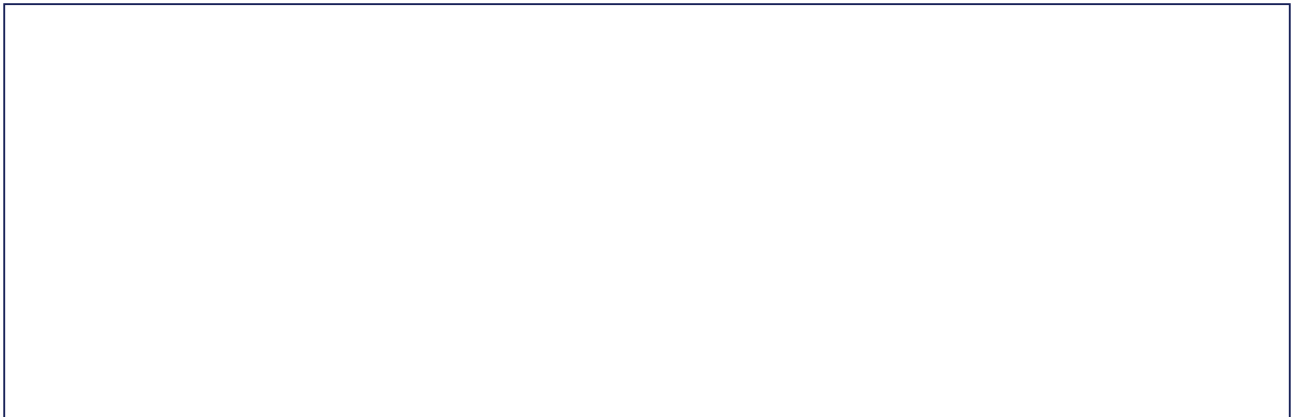
4. Explain why Rosa might choose the bus instead of the train, considering the prices mentioned in the passage. Use specific values in your answer. (3 marks)

5. Compare and contrast 'en avion' and 'à pied'. Provide one advantage for each in French, using adjectives from the word bank. (4 marks)

6. Justify your answer: Which mode of transport would be the most 'écologique' (environmentally friendly) for a short journey within a city? Explain your reasoning in English. (4 marks)

7. Extended Writing: Describe your dream journey. Write at least five sentences in French. Include how you travel, who you travel with, and two adjectives to describe the experience. (8 marks)

Draw: Draw a scene of Rosa the parrot travelling in your favourite mode of transport. Label the transport in French.



Extension challenge: What might happen if the price of 'en avion' suddenly became cheaper than 'en bus'? How would this change how people choose to travel? Write a short paragraph justifying the potential impact on travel habits. Total: /25